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To: [Gray, David](#); [Edlund, Carl](#); [Coleman, Sam](#)
Cc: [Smith, Monica](#); [Foster, Althea](#)
Subject: FW: Arkema Inc. facility in Crosby, TX.
Date: Thursday, September 7, 2017 8:18:20 AM

David,

Just received this email. Are there any information in reference to his request below. Please let me know.

Mr. Dunklin will be arriving this morning at 8:30am. I will be in the Santa Fe conference room on the 7th floor.

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From: Dunklin, Reese [<mailto:RDunklin@ap.org>]
Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 6:49 PM
To: Rogers, Elizabeth; Biesecker, Michael
Cc: Gray, David; Edlund, Carl; Coleman, Sam; Smith, Monica
Subject: Re: Arkema Inc. facility in Crosby, TX.

Dear Elizabeth,

While I am there tomorrow, I'd like to also take a look at any documents by the EPA Region 6 office that identified the Arkema plant in Crosby as having a flood risk and needing to be fixed. Perhaps this was part of the RCRA permitting process, though it may have been stormwater. Makes sense for me to review it all then rather than come back in a few days.

Thanks,

Reese Dunklin, the AP

Dallas bureau

On Sep 6, 2017, at 12:31 PM, Dunklin, Reese <RDunklin@ap.org> wrote:

Dear Elizabeth,

Yes, I will physically visit the EPA Region 6 office tomorrow at 8:30 a.m. and review the documents.

If there are any additional records that can be made available as part of the original Aug. 31 request for "documents you have related to the Arkema Inc. facility 18000 Crosby Eastgate Road, Crosby, Tx," then that would be ideal to see those tomorrow as well.

Thanks,

Reese Dunklin

From: Rogers, Elizabeth [<mailto:rogers.elizabeth@epa.gov>]

Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 11:42 AM
To: Dunklin, Reese; Biesecker, Michael
Cc: Gray, David; Edlund, Carl; Coleman, Sam; Smith, Monica
Subject: RE: Arkema Inc. facility in Crosby, TX.
Mr. Dunklin,

There is no additional information to provide for review. The OCA data is not included within the Arkema Chemical Facility, Crosby, Texas, RMP Plan. That information is considered confidential (Section 2 thru 5) of the RMP. In order to review this portion of the RMP, you would have to physical visit the EPA Region 6 office. If the above is needed for review, please inform me of your scheduled visit tomorrow. If not, we will cancel your Thursday, September 7, 2017, visit.
Thanks,

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From: Dunklin, Reese [<mailto:RDunklin@ap.org>]
Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 11:14 AM
To: Rogers, Elizabeth; Biesecker, Michael
Cc: Gray, David; Edlund, Carl; Coleman, Sam; Smith, Monica
Subject: RE: Arkema Inc. facility in Crosby, TX.

Hello Elizabeth,
Nice to meet you (remotely), Elizabeth. Thank you for the information you've shared. As I read it over, I simply want to make sure I'm understanding what records I'll be reviewing tomorrow. I've attached the most current RMP. I wanted to be clear whether the OCA you're referring to is separate from what we've already received (there is a discussion of worst case scenarios in the attached RMP, too.)
Apart from the RMP, I wanted to be clear on whether additional records related to Arkema would be available for review tomorrow.
I appreciate the help,
Reese Dunklin, AP
Dallas bureau

From: Rogers, Elizabeth [<mailto:rogers.elizabeth@epa.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 10:56 AM
To: Biesecker, Michael; Dunklin, Reese
Cc: Gray, David; Edlund, Carl; Coleman, Sam; Smith, Monica
Subject: RE: Arkema Inc. facility in Crosby, TX.
Michael,
Other documents would include the RMP Offsite Consequences Analysis (OCA) data

(confidential).

Should you need to review this, it is part of the Arkema RMP Plan. Please let me know, if such information is needed.

Thanks,

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From: Biesecker, Michael [<mailto:MBiesecker@ap.org>]

Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 10:48 AM

To: Rogers, Elizabeth; Dunklin, Reese

Cc: Gray, David; Edlund, Carl; Coleman, Sam; Smith, Monica

Subject: RE: Arkema Inc. facility in Crosby, TX.

Elizabeth,

We already have a copy of the 2014 RMP for Arkema. Are there other documents available in the reading room? Is EPA not planning to make additional materials available? If not, why not?

Thanks,

Michael

From: Rogers, Elizabeth [<mailto:rogers.elizabeth@epa.gov>]

Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 11:26 AM

To: Biesecker, Michael; Dunklin, Reese

Cc: Gray, David; Edlund, Carl; Coleman, Sam; Smith, Monica

Subject: Arkema Inc. facility in Crosby, TX.

Mr. Biesecker,

I have arranged for your review of the Arkema Chemical Facility Risk Management Plan (RMP) Plan

on Thursday, September 7, 2017. Please arrive at the EPA Region 6 office at 8:30am.

The facility RMP

consist of 26 pages (total). You are required to bring proof of a government issued identification,

pencil and pad (No ink pens allowed). No photo or zerox copies are to be made during the time of

your document review. Also, cell phones are not allowed in the review room. Please report to the

EPA Office Reception Center at 1445 Ross Avenue, 7th Floor, Dallas, Texas 75202. The receptionist will

contact me upon your arrival. Should you have any questions, you may contact me at the number listed

below.

Thanks,
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From: Biesecker, Michael [<mailto:MBiesecker@ap.org>]
Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 10:01 AM
To: Rogers, Elizabeth; Dunklin, Reese
Subject: RE: Reading room files on Arkema Inc. facility in Corsby, Tx.

Elizabeth,
We will definitely have someone there at 8:30 a.m. Thursday, most likely AP reporter Reese Dunklin (CCed here).
Can you give us an idea of what's there and in what sort of volume? Is there a charge for making copies? Are we allowed to bring in our own scanner?
Thanks,
Michael

From: Biesecker, Michael
Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 10:12 AM
To: 'Rogers, Elizabeth'
Subject: RE: Reading room files on Arkema Inc. facility in Corsby, Tx.
Pencil us in, but let me confirm with AP's folks in TX. Thanks.

From: Rogers, Elizabeth [<mailto:rogers.elizabeth@epa.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 9:48 AM
To: Biesecker, Michael
Subject: RE: Reading room files on Arkema Inc. facility in Corsby, Tx.
Mr. Biesecker,
I have an open date for Thursday, September 7, 2017 at 8:30am. Please let me know if this works for you.

From: Biesecker, Michael [<mailto:MBiesecker@ap.org>]
Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2017 10:29 AM
To: Rogers, Elizabeth
Subject: Reading room files on Arkema Inc. facility in Corsby, Tx.
Elizabeth,
We're interested in setting up an appointment today to review whatever documents you have related to the Arkema Inc. facility 18000 Crosby Eastgate Road, Crosby, Tx. Are those files with you in Dallas, or at another location. Roughly, what might you have?
Thanks,
Michael

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